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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
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Federal Communications Commission
445 Twelfth Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

Attn: Patrick Forster, Senior Engineer - Policy Division, Wireless Telecommunications Bureau

Re: Panhandle Telecommunication Systems, Inc.
Fourth Quarter 2002 TTY Status Report – CC Docket No. 94- 102

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Panhandle Telecommunications Systems, Inc. hereby submits its quarterly TTY status report for the fourth quarter, 2002, pursuant to the Commission's directive in the *Fourth Report and Order* (released December 14, 2000) and Order (released June 28, 2002)¹ in this docket.

Please contact the undersigned with any questions or concerns.

By: 

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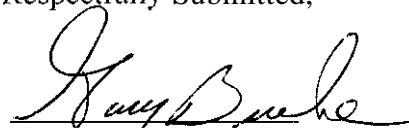
¹ *In the Matter of Revision of the Commission's Rules to Ensure Compatibility with Enhanced 911 Emergency Calling Systems*, Order, CC Docket 94-102, para. 24 (rel. June 28, 2002) (Commission requiring that quarter reports continue for carriers seeking additional time).

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TTY STATUS REPORT
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Panhandle Telecommunication Systems, Inc. ("Panhandle") filed a Petition for Waiver of the TTY requirements on June **28**, 2002 ("Petition"). The Petition addresses the status of Panhandle's efforts to comply with the TTY requirements and is currently pending before the Commission. No further developments have occurred since the date Panhandle filed the Petition.

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Gary Burke", written over a horizontal line.

Gary Burke
Plant Manager